

OMINOUS NEWS FROM CHINA EXPECT WORST AT PEKING

Chinese Troops Defeated the Allied Armies at Tien Tsin Yesterday.

LI HUNG CHANG HAS BEEN ORDERED HOME

It is Surmised That the Great Conciliator Will be Called Upon to Break the News of the General Massacre at Peking to the Powers and to Allay Their Vengeance—Another Disaster Looked for at Tien Tsin Unless Aid Soon Reaches the Overmatched Allies—News from Chinese Sources Doubtful.

Shanghai, July 12.—[Special Cablegram]—It is reported that Gen. Nieh has entered Peking at the head of 9,000 men. No word from legations since July 7.

Washington, D. C., July 11.—[Special Telegram]—Secretary Root is authority for the statement that it is not the present intention of the government to send any more troops to China. When those already under orders arrive the United States will have a force of eleven thousand five hundred. This, the president has decided, is sufficient.

A belated dispatch with no signature, believed to be from Kempf, was received this morning, dated Taku, June 12.

It says a rumor from Peking reports that the German troops burned down the Tsung Li Yamen. The Chinese have moved many field guns on the wall commanding the legations. Chinese sub-

Tsin another disaster may be expected. Boxers ravaging Manchuria.

The Russian papers report that the Boxers are ravaging Manchuria, and



M. DE GIER
Russian Minister at Peking.

have damaged sixty miles of the railway, threatening Tsin and Kien, while Port Arthur and Neu Ohwang are said to be endangered. Russia, therefore, has notified the powers of her intention to dispatch a large military force to Manchuria.

All kinds of stories come from Shanghai, which it is impossible to verify. It is stated that the Boxers have murdered the chancellor of the Peking university and sixty of the members of his family and retainers.

Attempt to Murder Prince Tuan. A confidential officer of General Yung Lu, disguised as a Boxer is reported to have crept into Prince Tuan's tent while the prince was sleeping, with the intention of stabbing him. He was caught by the sentries, so the story goes, and



BARON NISHI
Japanese Minister at Peking.

decapitated on the spot. His head was sent with Prince Tuan's compliments, to Yung Lu as a warning to him to beware.

The French consul at Shanghai has news that the Chinese prefect at Moukden himself murdered the Catholic Bishop Guillon in his yamen. Besides Bishop Guillon, Fathers Crunost, Corbel, Bourgeois and Vesillett and two sisters of the French mission, and numerous native Christians were massacred.

Claim Emperor Still Lives.

A Shanghai dispatch states upon the usual highest but anonymous authority that the Emperor is alive and with the Dowager Empress is actively working to restore order.

MINISTERS ARE REPORTED SAFE

Diplomats Are Out of Danger and the Revolt Is Decreasing

Berlin, July 12.—The German consul at Che Foo telegraphs that the governor of Chan Tung announces that, according to reports July 4, the foreign ministers at Peking were out of danger and the revolt decreasing. The government regards the Chinese

situation today as virtually unchanged. No authentic news has been received from Peking and the news from Tien Tsin is, if anything, worse. According to the semi-official Post, Emperor William's trip to Norway will last until August 6 unless the weightiest news arrives requiring his hasty return.

Dr. Mumm Von Schwarzenstein's appointment as minister to China is interpreted in political circles here as a proof that Germany regards herself as not at war with China. The appointment is meant especially for Russia, to show that Germany means to continue her China policy with Russia.

Dr. Mumm Von Schwarzenstein, who is considered one of the brightest and most promising German diplomats, and who until now it was supposed would succeed Dr. Von Holleben at Washington, promptly declared that he was ready to assume the dangerous mission at the emperor's personal desire.

CHINESE WIN A BIG BATTLE

Allied Army Suffers Severely From Lack of Heavy Guns.

London, July 12.—The Express publishes a dispatch from Tien-Tsin, dated Friday via Che-Foo, saying:

"Gen. Ma has defeated the allied troops and reoccupied the Chinese eastern arsenal, after inflicting great loss upon its defenders. The engagement lasted six hours and was fought with great determination by both sides.

"The Chinese eventually utilized the effective guns of the fort abutting on the city walls near the Tactai's yamen, the allied troops suffering severely from lack of heavy guns and cavalry.

"The Japanese commander sent an urgent appeal to hurry reinforcements, as the allies were in imminent danger of a general defeat."

Tien-Tsin, July 4.—The late chief of police of Port Arthur has arrived here. He reports that the Chinese have sacked and burned Niu-Chwang.

He further asserts that the Chinese are wrecking the Manchurian railway and are also pillaging the unprotected outskirts of Port Arthur.

ORGANIZATION IN SOUND CONDITION

BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION IN SESSION.

State League is Composed of Thirty-three Associations and All Are Represented at La Crosse—Social Program Not Forgotten and Visitors Are Well Entertained.

LaCrosse, July 12.—The State League of Loan and Building associations opened its fourth annual summer meeting last evening. The league is composed of thirty-three local associations and nearly all are represented by the following delegates: W. C. Palmer, Racine, vice president; Frank Armitage, Milwaukee, secretary; J. N. Burr, Jr., Green Bay, treasurer; Z. M. Host, F. L. Alcott, J. J. Maher, Charles Jiran, F. F. Reichert, C. M. Farnam, F. J. Heller, Milwaukee; A. Deitrich, Racine; E. P. Parish, L. P. Terp, Charles J. Thannes, Green Bay; M. B. Wyman, Eau Claire; Miss Elizabeth McGill, Appleton; J. H. Delbridge, Kaukauna; H. D. Murdock, Janesville; A. E. Chase, F. J. Barber, Oshkosh, O. A. Alter, Manitowoc.

The summer meetings are designed more for sociability than business and there are no matters of great importance to come up at this session. Mayor Anderson welcomed the delegates in a brief address referring to the valuable work of the associations in building up cities, providing homes for the industrious and inculcating habits of thrift. President VanAuken responded on behalf of the league. The secretary submitted his annual report in substance as follows:

Secretary's Annual Report
"Three new associations have been admitted to membership. There are now thirty-three associations in the league, and it is those that are being pushed that show gains, the associations in Milwaukee are finding it easy to dispose of investment shares, and loans are coming more freely than a year ago.

"Our work shows first, the best building and loan association law taken as a whole that there is in the country; we have obtained with other state leagues, exceptions from revenue taxes that mean thousands of dollars to our borrowers, and we have placed the business we represent of over \$3,500,000 on a better basis than ever before."

Interesting Papers Read
The paper, "Loan and Building Association Laws," by Mr. Nohl of Milwaukee was read by C. M. Farnam. Other papers were: "New Plans" by M. B. Hubbard of Eau Claire and "Simplicity of the Building and Loan Plan" by Elizabeth McGill of Appleton.

At 6:30 the visitors were taken for a ride on the river.

The following committee on resolutions was appointed: F. G. Abbott, M. G. Hubbard, Frank J. Heller, C. R. Benton, Frank Johannes. Green Bay is likely to be the place of the next meeting.

Conversion of China.
In dividing the profits of Christianizing China it is believed that Russia will consent to take the territory and permit the other nations to have the converts.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

SENATOR STEBBINS IN RACE TO STAY

SAYS HE IS STILL A CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR.

La Follette Cannot Fail to Get the Nomination Unless Something Big Drops Before the Convention is Held Democratic and Populist State Conventions on Same Day.

Milwaukee, Wis., July 12.—State Senator De Wayne Stebbins of Algoma, who is at the Hotel Pfister, said today that he was in the race for the republican nomination for governor, and would stick to the bitter end. He said that he would get more votes than some people thought he would, but just where they are coming from the politicians are trying to find out.

Practically all the delegates elected by the several counties up to date are instructed for La Follette, and it is apparent that he cannot fail of the nomination unless something big drops between now and the convention. Mr. Stebbins, however, appears confident that he has a chance, and says nobody can pull him out of the race.

Originally there were six candidates in the field, and the only two now remaining are Mr. La Follette and Mr. Stebbins. Earl M. Rogers of Viroqua, has not made any public announcement of his withdrawal, but it is generally understood among republicans that he is no longer in the field.

Two Conventions Same Day

Chairman George W. Peck of the democratic state central committee today issued a formal call for the democratic state convention to be held in this city, August 22. The state will be entitled to 668 delegates, of whom Milwaukee county has 106 and Rock 15.

Chairman Robert Schilling of the populist state central committee says that no time has been fixed for the state convention, but it will probably be held in this city on the same date as the democratic convention. This will be done for the purpose of taking advantage of the low railroad rates and also to be in a better position to discuss the question of fusion. A call has been sent out to the members for their signatures and their votes as to the dates.

Wright is Again President.

Carroll D. Wright of Washington today was re-elected president of the National Association of Officials of Bureaus of Labor Statistics. James M. Clark of Pennsylvania was re-elected secretary and treasurer, and Thomas R. Rixey of Missouri was made a member of the executive committee, following out the custom of the association of electing a man from the state in which the next meeting is to be held, a member of that committee. Next year's meeting will be held in St. Louis.

WRECKERS MAKE AN AWFUL DISCOVERY

Twenty-six Bodies Taken From the Submerged Steamer Saale in the Hudson River.

New York, July 12.—The wreckers at work on the burned and submerged steamship Saale of the North German Lloyd line made a terrible discovery on the vessel today. After the task of pumping out the water had proceeded for some time twenty-six bodies and other fragments of bodies were found. This brings the total to over 200.

The first body was that of a woman. It had been burned and only her corset remained of her clothing. There was nothing to aid in identification. Only three of the bodies can be identified. They are employees on the ship.

Twenty four of the corpses were found piled together in heaps in the steward's cabin in the stern. The fire had not touched this part of the ship as it had gone down first but the bodies were badly decomposed. The wreckers and corner men who were removing the bodies were forced to leave the horrible pit every few moments to breathe the fresh air and whisky was served out to them in liberal doses. Even with these precautions many of them broke down and were forced to stop work.

All day six big pumps of the Merritt & Chapman Wrecking Company capable of throwing over 2,000,000 gallons of water an hour were at work on the wreck of the Saale. By nightfall the big hull was floating in six feet of water. The wreckers, however, were afraid to tow her out into the channel stern first for fear of sinking her in deep water. The big pumps were kept working on the wreck all day, and it is expected it will be floated over the mud banks which have been formed in the river bottom on each side of it at high tide tomorrow.

TWENTY INJURED SOME FATALLY

Trolley Car Collision at Springfield, O. This Morning—Motorman Armstrong Will Die.

Springfield, O., July 12.—[Special Telegram]—An empty trolley car going down hill collided with a car of sixty excursionists this morning. Twenty were injured, some fatally. Motorman Armstrong will die.

CURRENTS MADE PRESIDENT

Two Rivers Doctor at Head of State Medical Examiners

Madison, Wis., July 12.—The state board of medical examiners held its annual session yesterday with all the members present. It granted 125 licenses to practice medicine in the state, and still has sixty applications which were not completed. There were also four applications for admission by examination, but the applicants did not appear. Dr. J. R. Curves of Two Rivers was elected president of the board, the former president, Dr. H. B. Dale of Oshkosh, declining re-election. Dr. H. M. Ludwig of Richland Center was re-elected secretary. Several complaints were made to the board of persons who are practicing medicine without a license, on which action will be taken later.

CITY FULL OF ENDEAVORERS

Delegates to World's Convention Are Beginning to Assemble

London, July 12.—Members of the United Society of Christian Endeavorers from the United States and every other quarter of the globe are arriving here in great numbers to attend the world's Christian Endeavor convention, which opens July 14 and closes July 18. Wagons full of sight-seers are touring London today. Several hundred took up quarters at the encampment in preparation for the convention.

GOV. ROOSEVELT IS ALSO NOTIFIED

Committee, Headed by Senator Wolcott, Meets the Rough Rider at Oyster Bay, L. I.

Oyster Bay, L. I.—[Special Telegram]—Gov. Roosevelt was formally notified of his nomination as the republican candidate for vice president at his summer home this noon. The committee, with Wolcott as chairman, and a hundred invited guests, arrived at eleven thirty o'clock and were driven to the house. They were welcomed by Roosevelt from the piazza. After introductions Wolcott began his speech. Roosevelt replied, promising to do everything in his power to secure the election of McKinley. He regretted leaving the interesting field of New York, but duty called him to the national field. This afternoon the committee were entertained at luncheon.

WAR WITH BOERS WILL LAST YEARS

Mr. Chamberlain is Anxious to Dissolve Parliament Before the African War Drags Any Further.

Manchester, July 12.—[Special Cablegram]—The Guardian reports that Chamberlain is anxious to dissolve parliament and appeal to the country before the Boer war drags any further. Experts have confidently informed the government that hostilities are likely to continue for years. The Boers are absolutely irreconcilable to British rule.

MAN DIES OVER 105 YEARS OLD

John L. Thomas of Racine Wis., Expires After Long Illness.

Racine, Wis., July 12.—John L. Thomas, undoubtedly the oldest resident of the state, died here yesterday, aged 105 years. He was born in Wales, March 10, 1795, and when 19 years of age, enlisted in the Carnarvonshire militia, serving for five years. He became a resident of this city in 1845 and lived here up to the time of his death. Until a few months ago he enjoyed good health, his eyesight was fair and hearing good. He had been united in marriage three times.

His third marriage took place at Randolph, Wis., when 80 years of age, and when 100 years of age he became a member of the Welsh church in this city.

Dems. May Move Headquarters

Chicago, July 12.—[Special Telegram]—Because of inability to secure proper quarters at a reasonable price, the democratic leaders talk of moving the headquarters of the campaign to another city. New York, Washington, St. Louis, Cincinnati and Columbus are under consideration. Chairman Jones leaves for his summer resort tonight.

Renominate Governor Foynter

Lincoln, Neb., July 12.—[Special Telegram]—The state populists renominate Governor Foynter, and the silver republicans named E. A. Gilbert for lieutenant governor.

The democrats nominated W. H. Oldham for attorney general and he will be placed on the fusion ticket.

Cannibals Had a Feast

Victoria, B. C., July 12.—[Special Cablegram]—Samoan natives report the killing and eating of a party of native bushmen by cannibalistic Kanakas, who captured them while landing for trading purposes.

L. A. W. Meeting a Frost.

Milwaukee, July 12.—[Special Telegram]—The annual meeting of the League of American Wheelmen was a frost, only 700 are here. Buffalo will probably get the next meeting.

M'KINLEY GIVEN FORMAL NOTICE

Advised of His Nomination for President by Senator Lodge.

CANTON IN GALA GARB

Notification Committee Named at Philadelphia Does Work Assigned To It.

GREAT CROWD IN ATTENDANCE

Canton, Ohio, July 12.—[Special Cablegram]—The home town of President McKinley enjoyed a holiday today, the occasion being the formal notification of the executive that he has been re-nominated. Business houses are all closed in order to give employees an opportunity to take part in the demonstration of the townsmen.

The survivors of the President's old regiment, the Twenty-third Ohio, was assigned a place of honor in the ceremonies.

Large excursions from neighboring towns have been arriving all the morning and a much larger crowd than the one that attended the notification four years ago is expected.

Speaking On the Front Porch.

Senator Henry Cabot Lodge made the formal address to the president and Senators Hanna, Fairbanks and other national leaders were present and talked to the crowds on the issues of the campaign.

Two large flags one covering the upper portion and the other draped over the awnings of the President's home on North Market street, are all the decorations that met the eye of the visitors. Back of the house a large tent has been put up, and here the notification committee had luncheon after the ceremonies had been concluded.

The speaking took place from the famous front porch of the McKinley residence.

Speech of Senator Lodge

Senator Lodge said the harmony of sentiment on the face of the record was but a reflection of the deeper harmony which existed in the minds and hearts of the delegates. He reviewed McKinley's adherence to republican principles and his masterful action in connection with the Spanish war.

He said that his new policies were quickly justified and that on possession of the Philippines rests the admiral diplomacy which warned all nations that American trade was not to be shut out of China.

"The Philadelphia convention," he said, "adopted your policy both in the Antilles and Philippines and has made it their own and that of the republican party. Your elections means the maintenance of protection and a sound currency."

President McKinley Replies

President McKinley said the message was one of signal honor as well as a summons to duty. To receive a unanimous renomination was an expression of regard difficult to make adequate acknowledgment of. If anything exceeded the honor it was the responsibility. He profoundly realized his solemn obligations.

The declaration of principles by the convention had his hearty approval and at some future time he would consider its subjects in detail by letter.

The president then quoted from his speech of four years ago on a similar occasion, stating what the republican party then proposed to do and asking whether these pledges had been kept?

The gold standard had been reaffirmed and strengthened; the credit of the country advanced to the highest place; we are refunding the bonded debt at two per cent, a lower rate than any other country.

Menace 16 to 1.

A protective tariff law has been enacted; we have lower interest, higher wages; more money; fewer mortgages; prosperity at home, and a prestige abroad.

"The menace of sixteen to one still hangs," he concluded. "The people must once more unite to overcome the advocates of repudiation."

"A beneficent government had been provided for Porto Rico and Philippines, where American authority must be supreme. There will be amnesty broad and liberal but no abatement of our rights, no abandonment of our duty."

"The crisis in China calls for grave consideration. Our best efforts will be given to protect the lives of citizens, and safeguard the treaty rights and main-

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M. PICHON
French Minister at Peking.

jects are advised to leave the legations. The runner heard heavy firing in Peking after leaving the city.

The dispatch came via Siberia submersed Nagasaki. It is supposed Kempf sent it from Taku by steamer.

Ominous Outlook in China

London, July 12.—The Chinese situation again bears an ominous aspect. Eighteen days ago Sir Robert Hart dispatched his last message, declaring that the situation was desperate, and since then no word has come from the Europeans in Peking.

According to the Daily Mail's Shanghai correspondent, Li Hung Chang has received an imperial decree ordering his immediate departure for Peking, presumably to break the news of the Peking tragedy to the European powers, and, in his usual role of negotiator with Europe in difficult matters, to endeavor



CLAUDE M'DONALD
British Minister at Peking.

to act as mediator and to avert the vengeance of the powers.

To add to the grimness of this suggestion, all advices from Tien Tsin tend to confirm the reports of the perilous conditions of the allied forces and belie the optimistic Chinese rumors. Unless reinforcements speedily reach Tien

SUMMER EXCURSION TO CLEAR LAKE

LARGE CROWD OF MILTON
PEOPLE WILL GO JULY 21.

Result of the Republican Caucuses
Held Wednesday Afternoon—Milton
Missionaries in Peril in China—
Social and Personal News and Notes
From Milton.

On Saturday, July 21, the Milwaukee
road will run a special to the great sum-
mer resort at Clear Lake, Iowa.

The train will leave this station Saturday
afternoon and return Monday. The
fare for the round trip has been placed
at the heretofore unheard of figure of
two dollars and fifty cents. Over five
hundred miles travel at one half cent
per mile and a chance to spend the day
at one of the most famous pleasure
resorts in the state of Iowa. Make your
arrangements to go. For further par-
ticulars inquire of agents at the depot.
The republican caucus Wednesday
afternoon was one of the most exciting
held for many a day. One hundred and
fifty-five votes were cast and the regular
ticket received eighty-four and the op-
position ticket seventy-one. The follow-
ing are the delegates elect to the several
conventions:

Delegates to Assembly Convention to be held
at Janesville, July 18—W. H. Morgan, J. C. An-
derson, W. B. Paul, W. H. Weaver, C. Hull, J.
P. Bullis, C. S. Burton, B. H. Wells, C. E. Mar-
quardt.

County Superintendent Convention—J. H.
Owen, F. Church, J. D. Clark, F. L. Hall, G.
Adams, L. B. Ross, A. C. Hudson, Eugene Hall,
E. C. Bliss.

County Convention—P. M. Green, S. C. Carr,
A. D. Frink, H. W. Maxson, Otto Soeger, W. H.
Davidson, W. P. Marquardt, D. G. Partridge, L.
A. Richardson.

Assembly Convention (to be called)—J. B.
Tracy, M. A. Richardson, J. E. Dyer, P. H.
Cole, G. R. Ross, J. M. Marquardt, J. J. Bennett,
E. C. Sholes, A. S. Bullis.

Senatorial Convention (to be called)—W. W.
Clark, C. H. Osborn, W. K. Davis, J. H. Bullis,
R. Richardson, J. G. Carr, W. C. Whitford, W.
A. Dodd, A. L. McClelland.

Member County Committee—W. W. Clark.

Among the imperilled foreigners in
China are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith,
Missionaries of the American Board at
Pang Chuang. Mrs. Smith is a daugh-
ter of Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Dickinson,
original members of the Congregational
church of Milton. It was in their house
that the church was organized sixty-two
years ago. Mr. Smith is the author of
two interesting and valuable books on
Chinese life, "Chinese Characteristics" and
"Village Life in China."

Rev. Geo. W. Hills of Nortonville,
Kansas, was here Tuesday enroute for
Marquette.

The excursion train Sunday leaves
Milwaukee at 7:30 p. m., not 8:30 p. m.,
as our item of Wednesday read.

The Odd Fellows go to Lima on Sat-
urday evening instead of Monday.

Mrs. M. Crosley left Wednesday for
West Hallock, Ill., where she will visit
friends.

Miss Nell Hills has returned to her
home at Berlin.

Miss Nettie Coon goes to Geneva,
Minn., next Monday.

R. B. Tolbert returned to his pastor-
ate at West Hallock, Ill., Wednesday.

E. W. Voss, agent for the Milwaukee
road at South Wayne, was in town
Tuesday, shaking hands with old
acquaintances.

The Standard and Pennsylvania com-
panies had a gasoline war Tuesday, and
for a short time the illuminator sold for
two cents per gallon.

FULTON

Fulton, July 12—Rev. J. W. Moore,
of Trevor, Wis., who is visiting his
brother, Rev. F. L. Moore of Edgerton,
will occupy the pulpit of the Fulton
church next Sunday morning and even-
ing. Mr. Moore is a graduate of the
class of 1900 of Chicago Theological
seminary. He is a man of large Chris-
tian experience. It is hoped that all
will endeavor to hear him. Mr. Martin

will fill Mr. Moore's appointments at
Trevor over Sunday.

The first meeting of the Young Peo-
ple's Local Union of Edgerton, Albion,
Stebbinsville and Fulton will be held in
the M. E. church of Edgerton Sunday
evening, July 15. It is hoped that
everyone interested in the young
people's work and the establishment of
this union will be present at this meet-
ing. A good program is promised.

Miss Whitmore, a former teacher of
this place is still suffering from a severe
attack of rheumatism.

Harriet E. Lee has been hired to teach
school in the Saxby district this year.

Bashie Pease and Blanche Scofield
will be the teachers of our school for the
next year.

Miss Eva Jessup from Chicago and
Mrs. Robert Bentley of Waterloo, Iowa,
are visiting at Mr. Spafford Allen's.

Misses Ethel and Jeanette Sayre have
gone camping up to First lake with a
party from Janesville.

The storm last Friday played havoc
with a good many sheds and wind mills
besides doing a good deal of other
damage.

Charlie Seeman of Chicago is visiting
at Mr. Swady's.

Mrs. Swady is on the sick list.

Mabel Lee is home from Janesville.

A little girl was born to Mr. and
Mrs. Fred Graves Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Nash of Janesville spent
Monday with their daughter Mrs. H. W.
Lee.

Sarah Sutherland of Janesville spent
last week at Mr. Sayre's.

Mr. and Mrs. Winsey and daughter of
Appleton are spending a few weeks with
Mrs. W. H. Pease.

Mr. Oliver Murwin came near losing
his home by fire at 10 o'clock on the
night of June 28. A lamp in the cham-
ber being accidentally tipped over and
broken, spilling the oil over the floor,
and in a moment the whole north side
of the room ahead was in flames, but by
the assistance of the neighbors who
worked like beavers the fire was finally
put out and doing only about \$150 dam-
age.

Most of our young people spent the
Fourth at home this year.

Claude Murwin is spending a few days
at home.

Jake Ressler is shaking hands with
old friends after an absence of several
months.

A number from here contemplate go-
ing to the Dells on the excursion the
last of this month.

On Wednesday morning at 5 a. m.
twenty-two of our young ladies with
their four horse livery rig and driver,
with steamers flying and flags waving
started for Lake Ripley one mile north
of Cambridge, twenty miles from here,
to spend the day picnicking. The boys
are wondering when their turn will
come.

Mr. Harry Green came near losing
his home by fire one day last week, a
lamp exploding, but by prompt action
and water being handy the fire was
finely put out.

RESULT OF CAUCUS
HELD AT AFTON

Delegates Elected to the Various Re-
publican Conventions—U. G. Waite
For County Committee.

Afton, July 12—The republican caucus
held last Wednesday afternoon was a
very harmonious gathering and the
working of the new law was far more
satisfactory than had been anticipated.
S. E. Otis was chairman and U. G.
Waite, secretary of the meeting, while
John L. Fisher and Charles Hayner
served as tellers. The delegates elected
to the various conventions are as fol-
lows: Assembly convention to elect
delegates to state convention: Peter
Draflah, John Brinkman, George N.
Goldsmith. Superintendent district
convention—Charles Hudson, Elmer
Brinkman, Marvin A. Hayner. County
convention—J. B. Humphrey, W. J.
Miller, William Gunn. Assembly con-
vention—U. G. Waite, E. W. Fisher,
Richard Brinkman. Senatorial con-
vention—Charles Hayner, Clifford Aiken, S.
E. Otis. U. G. Waite was renominated
as member of the county committee,
while J. B. Humphrey, E. W. Fisher and
John Yarb were named as members of
the new town committee.

John Bartels is making several im-
provements on his hotel, the most
noticeable of which is the new porch
and balcony extending along the entire
front of the building. Oscar Anderson
is the builder.

The C. & N. W. R'y. is putting in a
drive well at the stock yards, which will
be a great convenience.

David Waggoner is giving his house
a new coat of paint.

O. D. Antislod, who graduated from
Beloit College last month, has moved
back to Afton with his mother and sister
and will spend the summer here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Kendall are enter-
taining Miss Gertrude Conley of Chi-
cago, and Mr. Kendall's sister, Mrs.
Daniel Lynch of Quinnesec, Michigan.

BARN DANCE ON
THE BARLASS FARM

Seventy-Five Couples of Modern Wood-
men Had a Great Big Time on
Tuesday Night.

A successful barn dance was held on
the farm of John T. Barlass, two miles
north of Emerald Grove, Tuesday night.
The dance was given under the auspices
of The Modern Woodmen and about
seventy-five couples were in attendance.
The night was perfect and the party was
thoroughly enjoyed by all present.
Smith's orchestra furnished the music.
A number from this city were in attend-
ance.

SMALL FRUIT TO BE PLENTY AND CHEAP

PRICES WILL BE LOWER THAN
THEY WERE LAST YEAR.

Sugar Has Gone Up a Cent a Pound,
but Housewives Have No Reason
to Feel Despondent, and Canning
Will Go Merrily on as the Season
Advances.

Along with the distressing news that
just of the height of the preserving sea-
son, sugar had gone up a cent a pound
and was going still higher before au-
tumn, comes the more cheering infor-
mation that fruit, hatching cherries and
strawberries, the latter of which are out
of market anyway, is going to be cheap-
er than it has been for several seasons
past. Housewives who are sadly con-
templating a curtailment of the family
larder, will rejoice accordingly, and the
jamming and pickling and "putting up"
will go on undisturbed.

For a time, though it looked as if the
domestic order of things was to be up-
set, for when the sugar trust announced
an advance of about \$1 on 100 pounds
and rumors spread that the raise would
be doubled before autumn, the economi-
cal heads of households despaired of
filling their preserve shelves. On May
22 the wholesale price of granulated
sugar was about \$5.60 a hundred
pounds, and today it is \$6.30, while the
retail price a pound has risen to 63 cents
with a likelihood of being 7 cents before
the summer is over.

On the other hand, the grocery men
say fruit will be cheaper than it was last
year. The cherry and strawberry crops
were poor, owing to the drought, but the
recent rains have come to the relief
of the rest, and the prospects are for
more and better fruit at lower prices
than last year.

The red raspberries from Northern
Michigan will begin to flood the market
next week, and as one commission mer-
chant put it a whole "ocean of peaches"
will roll in from Michigan and Georgia,
the rosy Elberta now hanging on the
trees down South in tempting profusion.

The same is true of other small fruits
and if sugar has gone up the cheapness
of the fruit itself will more than com-
pensate for the raise.

ART OF ADJUSTING
GLASSES TO EYES

Good Operator Must Understand the
Construction of the Lenses—This
One Branch a Study.

To become proficient in the adjust-
ment of spectacles and eye glasses is a
much more difficult task than most peo-
ple realize.

One must be perfectly familiar with
all the branches of the profession in or-
der to obtain perfect results. Merely
fitting the eye with perfect lenses does
not constitute all the work; if the
frames are not fitted and adjusted cor-
rectly the whole work is lost. A thor-
ough operator should understand the
construction of the lenses from the
rough material until they are ground,
finished and polished ready for the
frame, not only to know that the
strength and construction are correct,
but also that the quality of material is
right.

This one branch alone is a study and
there are but few opticians who are
familiar with this detail.

W. F. Hayes, the eye specialist, at F.
C. Cook & Co., is thoroughly acquainted
with every part of his business; his
actual practice for the past eighteen
years has brought him in touch with
the most difficult cases; in this time he
has fitted to glasses over 1,200 persons,
a record he may well feel proud of. He
has many recommendations from people in
Janesville and surrounding towns and
from all over the state. During the
past three years he has devoted his en-
tire time to eye work; he is connected
with two of the largest optical goods
manufacturing concerns in the country.
This gives him an advantage in study-
ing the detail of lenses and frame making
that but few operators enjoy.

Mr. Hayes is a graduate from three of
the best optical colleges in the United
States and holds diplomas from each.
He is now pursuing another course
which includes the diseases of the eye.
This branch is by no means foreign to
him having given it much time and
study. He has confined himself how-
ever, to refractive work entirely as it is
not possible to do justice to both. If
your eye sight bothers you in any way
consult Mr. Hayes at once. He is in
the city Saturday and Monday of each
week at F. C. Cook & Co.'s, and can help
you. In no case will glasses be fitted
where the eyes require treatment in-
stead.

Resources of South America.

Competent authorities assert that
South America has greater undeveloped
resources than any other section of
the world. Any crop grown elsewhere
can be duplicated there, and the coun-
try abounds in mines of coal, silver
and gold, most of which have been
only slightly developed.

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GREAT BIG CHANGE IN CROP PROSPECTS

Recent Rains Have Made One of the
Best Crops in Rock County
Possible.

The changed condition in the appear-
ance of growing farm products within
the past three weeks is certainly quite
remarkable. The crops, other than
corn, that looked very discouraging to
the farmer before the welcome rain,
now give promise of a good yield and
abundant harvest. Corn, which is really
the farmers' crop in this section, never
looked better, being remarkably free
from weeds and grass and of fine growth.
Barley and oats will be an average crop.
Hay, which three weeks ago seemed an
utter failure, now gives promise of a fair
yield.

Every field of tobacco is looking very
fine and the growth, particularly of the
early transplanting, is unprecedented, as
the acreage of setting is fully one fourth
more than ever before. The prospect
for continued prosperity in old Rock is
most excellent. The farmers greeting
now is cordial and cheerful.

Grocerymen's Excursion and Picnic
At Waukesha Beach on Thursday, July
19th. There will be two special trains
via C. M. & St. P. R'y leaving Janes-
ville at 7 a. m. and 7:30 a. m., arriving
at the beach about 9:30 a. m.; returning
leave the beach about 8 p. m. \$1.25 for
the round trip.

TO RECEIVE SEALED BIDS
For the Erection of New Spring Brook
School Building

Sealed proposals will be received by
the board of education of the city of
Janesville, for the erection of a school
building to be located on Eastern ave-
nue, Spring Brook addition.

All bids must be in the hands of the
clerk of the board of education by Sat-
urday, July 14. Plans and specifica-
tions can be seen at the store of S. C.
Burnham & Co.

The successful bidder will be required
to furnish a satisfactory bond for the
proper fulfillment of his contract. The
board of education reserves the right to
reject any or all bids.

S. C. BURNHAM,
Clerk of the Board of Education.
July 7, 1900.

WORK OF HUMANE SOCIETY
E. B. Helmsstreet Elected to Fill Unex-
pired Term of Treasurer.

At a business meeting of the execu-
tive committee of the Humane society, E.
B. Helmsstreet was elected to fill the un-
expired term of treasurer F. C. Hasel-
ton who has removed from the city. S.
B. Kenyon will continue to act as agent
of the society.

A vote of thanks was tendered Mrs.
John Peters, who was appointed by the
society some time ago to solicit funds.
The society is on a good financial basis
and will willingly investigate any com-
plaints which may be made.

Red and black raspberries for can-
ning. Dedrick Bros.

Special Train to Clear Lake, Ia., Via C.
M. & St. P. R'y

Leaving Janesville, Saturday evening,
July 21, and returning Monday morning,
\$2.50 for the round trip.

"The Laborer is
Worthy of His Hire."

But a wage-earner can
get more for his personal ser-
vices if in strong and vigorous
health. The blood is the
life-giving and strength-mak-
ing part of the system. If it
is pure, all is well; if not, it
should be purified with
Hood's Sarsaparilla, which
makes the weak strong.

Can Eat—"Was tired out, had no
appetite until I took Hood's Sarsaparilla.
It built me right up and I can eat heart-
ily." Ella M. Hager, Athol, Mass.

Hood's Sarsaparilla
Never Disappoints

Hood's Pills cure liver ills; the non-irritating and
only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

CHICAGO
DENTAL PARLORS

All kinds of
Dental Work
at reasonable prices.

ARTIFICIAL TEETH with
or without Plates.

Suite 415 Hayes Block. Take the Elevator

10 Cents.
Parcel
Delivery

To any part of the city we de-
liver your parcels for the small
sum of ten cents.

Piano and Safe Moving
A SPECIALTY.

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THE BIG STORE
JANESVILLE, WIS.
20, 22, 24, 26, 28,
S. MAIN ST.
WE KEEP THE QUALITY UP

First Gun Fired....

Just now when Shirt Waists
are a necessity we will give
women a rousing benefit by
making a great cut in
prices. Stanley Shirt
Waists are well known,
and today take the lead for
perfection in make and style.

Naturally at this time our
stock is somewhat broken
but we still show many ex-
cellent ideas in waists.

COLORED WAISTS—Pric-
es as they look after being
shoved full

COLORADO'S LESSON.

COSTLY EXPERIENCES OF HER SHEEP
RAISING FARMERS.

Nearly Nine Millions of Dollars the Difference in One Year Between Free Trade in Wool and a Protective Tariff.

"Colorado has just been through a remarkable experience in regard to its flocks of sheep and its wool," said United States Senator Edward O. Wolcott of that state when discussing the general prosperity of the country. "Farmers out there have had their object lesson and a very strong one on the evil effects of free trade and the advantages of protection. I have prepared some figures on the subject which are interesting."

"You will see from this table that the value of sheep in Colorado on the 1st of January, 1891 and 1892, was nearly \$4,300,000 each year. At the end of 1892, just as soon as it was known that there would be a complete Democratic administration during the next four years, the farmers began to sell their sheep, the total number of the flocks decreasing nearly 500,000 within a year. The value of each sheep also decreased by \$1 a head between the years 1893 and 1895.

"Immediately after the election in the fall of 1896, when Republican control of the government was assured, the farmers began to increase their flocks, knowing that protection would again be given to wool. They had suffered under the disastrous effects of free trade in wool and immediately set about to recover their losses. Between the first day of January, 1897, and the first day of the present year the sheep flocks of Colorado have increased by 774,000 and their value by upward of \$3,750,000, each sheep in the state being worth \$1.10 more this year than it was just before President McKinley's inauguration.

"But the value of the sheep alone does not tell all the story. Look at this next statement, giving the prices per pound of Colorado wool as sold in that state:

	Price per pound in cents—	
	Med. Greasy.	
1891.....	14 1/2	15 1/2
1892.....	15 1/2	16 1/2
1893.....	14 1/2	15 1/2
1894.....	13 1/2	14 1/2
1895.....	12 1/2	13 1/2
1896.....	11 1/2	12 1/2
1897.....	10 1/2	11 1/2
1898.....	9 1/2	10 1/2
1899.....	8 1/2	9 1/2
1900.....	14 1/2	15 1/2

"You will see that all grades of wool began to drop in 1893. Between the time of President Harrison's administration, when wool was protected under the McKinley tariff, and the free trade period of President Cleveland there was a difference of 10 cents per pound to the farmer on the best wool that he had to sell. His loss per pound on medium wool was 9 cents, on Mexican wool 8 cents and on greasy wool 3 to 4 cents per pound.

"Wool values began to increase again just as soon as protection was assured by the election of President McKinley and a Republican congress. Prices had already advanced early in 1897, and they have kept on advancing ever since.

"Now, I have taken the quantity of wool produced in Colorado in the years 1891, 1893 and 1900, with the average value per pound at which it was sold, and it shows the following result:

	Pounds.	Value.
1891.....	11,827,108	\$1,605,303
1893.....	8,458,378	500,333
1900.....	14,204,025	1,639,822

"Besides a loss of \$2,220,000 in the value of their sheep between 1891 and 1893 the farmers of Colorado lost \$1,150,000 through the smaller prices at which they sold their wool. For one year their experience with free trade cost them almost \$3,500,000.

"Comparing this year with 1895, there has been an improvement of \$4,266,000 in the value of Colorado sheep and \$1,124,000 in the value of the wool grown in that state, making the benefit to the farmers under protection in one year almost \$5,400,000. Put this amount against the loss of \$3,470,000 and we have a total of \$8,860,000 as the gross difference to sheep farmers in Colorado between free trade and protection in one single year."

Benefits of Expansion.
The policy of expansion, which gives us a foothold in the east, which will open a new market in the Philippines and enable us to increase our commerce with China, will be of great benefit to all our people and more especially to farmers and wage earners.

Simple Instance of Prosperity.
Kansas City will go after the Democratic convention on the principle that this will be the only time in its history that the party will bring prosperity to the city. Hence the harvest will be reaped when it is ripe.—Pittsburg Times.

Points to Consider.
Times are so good that Cohn Harvey has been able to purchase a farm.

If Europe should suddenly blaze with war, where would we get the ships to carry our exports?

The New Jersey Democrats wobbled fearfully in their platform utterances.

The Democratic party always was opposed to those millionaires who don't contribute to its campaign funds.

The Democratic party never had any sympathy to expend upon the brown men of the south.

STRIKERS ISSUE A STATEMENT.

Want the General Manager of St. Louis
Transit Company Removed.

St. Louis, Mo., July 12.—A statement of the position of the local street-railway strikers, reviewing the strike since its inception, has been given to the public. In the closing paragraph the statement declares that in the opinion of the union a fair settlement of the strike cannot be obtained while Mr. Baumhoff remains in the position of general manager. Cars are running on all the lines about as usual, but it is noticeable that the number of wagons and other vehicles carrying passengers has increased during the last few days. Adam Fuchs, one of the leading milliners here, executed a chattel deed of trust for the benefit of creditors. The liabilities of the concern amount to about \$48,000, but the assets have not yet been inventoried. Mr. Fuchs said: "The strike was the sole cause of the filing of the deed of trust. The stopping of the street railway traffic so greatly diminished our trade that we felt it necessary to protect our creditors."

Diamonds Found in a Garret.
Galesburg, Mich., July 12.—Dr. Abraham Smith, who lived here forty years ago and practiced medicine, disappeared one day and no trace of him was ever found. While rummaging through an old garret, formerly a part of Smith's dwelling, a human skull was found, and on Wednesday several boys who were playing with it touched a secret spring at the top, revealing half a teacupful of valuable gems, including several diamonds, besides gold trinkets, packed in securely. Whether the doctor owned them or the property was the result of desperate undertakings is not known. The property may be escheated to the state.

Gave Her Life for Another's.
Columbia, S. C., July 12.—Ellen Roseborough, a white girl, 17 years old, gave her life to save a little negro child from a horrible death. Miss Roseborough lived in Chester, but was visiting relatives near Blacksburg. While walking with some friends in the country she saw a small negro playing on the track of the Southern road, and a train rapidly approaching. The young woman, without hesitating a moment, rushed forward, caught the baby and threw it in safety from the track, but in the act was struck and killed by the engine.

Three Drown in Lagoon.
Chicago, July 12.—Three persons were drowned in the lagoon in Washington park by the capsizing of a row-boat containing a party of pleasure-seekers. One of the young men saved himself by clinging to an oar, after having made a futile effort to save the life of his young woman companion. The dead: Otto Flory, 17 years old; Nellie Gunther, 17 years old; Annie McFarland, 19 years old; Harry C. Johannes, 19 years old, was rescued.

Gold Deposits at Seattle.
Seattle, Wash., July 12.—The report of the United States assay office at Seattle for the fiscal year ending June 30 has just been issued. During that time 5,988 deposits, aggregating \$13,630,326.58, have been received. This is more than double the amount received for the year ending June 30, 1899, when the deposits numbered 3,429 and represented a value of \$6,604,952.64.

A Cheerful Proposition

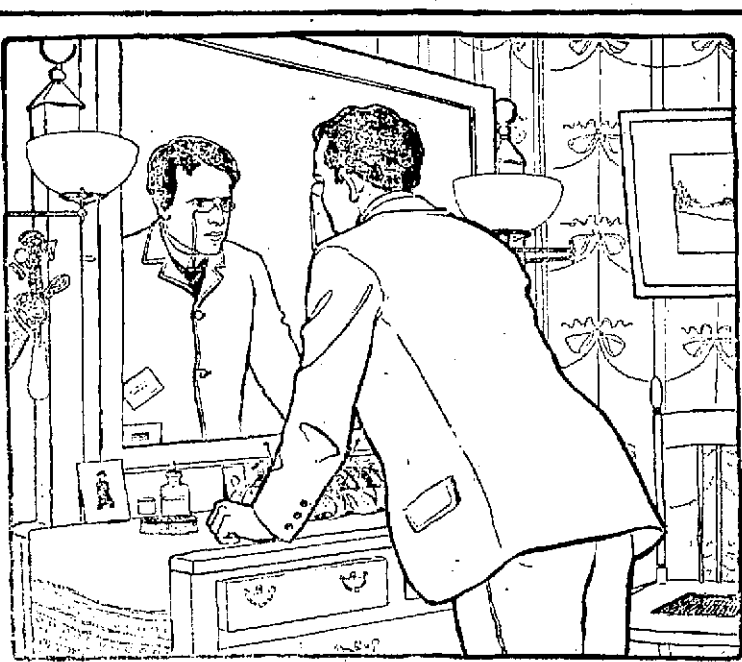
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THE STAR MILWAUKEE
BLATZ BEERS possess qualities that appeal to lovers of the beverage—every brew is uniformly perfect—every brand a success.
BLATZ MALT-VIVINE. TONIC. (Non-Intoxicant) ALL DRUGGISTS.

VAL BLATZ BREWING CO., MILWAUKEE.
N. B. ROBINSON & CO.
Wholesale Dealers, Janesville, Wis.

The original paintings valued at \$5,000.

Baker's Monaca Coffee Pictures Free!
One picture given away with every two pound purchase of Coffee. They are mounted on artistic mats of dark neutral tints 11 x 15. This is the season's opportunity to decorate your home. Many people have already collected the series 8.

Ask your Grocer for them!
For Sale by F. S. Winslow



TO THE MAN WHO THINKS.
LOOK yourself squarely in the face and see if you are not half ashamed to be without Ivory Soap in your house. Worse than this, your wife is without it. It is bad enough for a man, though a man often doesn't care how his comfort is mis-spelled. But a woman misses all these little helps to housekeeping. And Ivory Soap is one; its great potency makes it actually cheaper than yellow soap for general work. It floats.

British Warship Aground.
London, July 12.—The third-class turret ship Conqueror, while on her way to Portland to join the fleet now being mobilized there, ran ashore on the Shambles, three miles southeast of Portland. It is expected that she will be floated at high tide.

Sugar Magnate's Son Married.
Newport, R. I., July 12.—Miss Charlotte Whiting, daughter of the late Augustus Whiting, and Harry O. Havemeyer, Jr., son of the late Theodore A. Havemeyer, were married at Swanhurst, the summer residence of the bride's uncle, George L. Rives, of New York.

Washington, D. C.
Genesee Pure Food Co., Le Roy, N. Y.

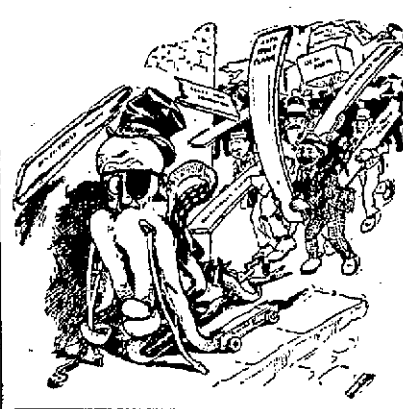
Gentlemen—Our family realize so much from the use of GRAY'S that I feel I must say a word to induce others to use it. If people are interested in their health and the welfare of their children they will use no other beverage. I have used them all, but GRAY'S I have found superior to any, for the reason that it is solid grain.

Yours for health, C. F. MYERS.

CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH PENNYROYAL PILLS
Original and Only Genuine.
SAFE, EFFECTUAL, PAINLESS, and DRUGS.
CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH PILLS are sold in RED and Gold metal boxes, sealed with blue ribbon. Take no others. Each box contains 10 pills. Directions for use are printed on the wrapper. Beware of cheap imitations. For Particulars, Testimonials and "Bottle for Lost" send 10c in stamps to Wm. L. Chichester, Philadelphia, Pa.

Medicine this paper. Medicine Square, PHILADELPHIA, PA.

THE WIDE AWAKE



All the Political Parties...
Are taking a whack at the trusts. We want you to take a glance at our

Notion Department

One glance will tell you it's worth your careful attention; your attention will tell you it's your money's worth.

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| No. 1 Lamp Burner..... 5c | Lead Pencils, per doz.... 10c |
| No. 2 Lamp Burner..... 10c | Ink and Pencil Erasers... 5c |
| Banner lamp Burner No. 3 13c | 8-arm Towel Rack..... 10c |
| Large Scrub Brush..... 5c | Extra fine Whisk Broom... 15c |
| Vegetable Brushes... 2 for 5c | Toilet Paper, good roll |
| Enamelina Stove Polish... 5c | or package..... 5c |
| Rising Sun Stove Polish... 5c | Good Ink Tablet..... 5c |
| Good variety paint brushes 5c | Good Envelopes, package 5c |
| Tracing Wheels..... 5c | Kettle Cleaners..... 5c |
| Knock-Out Mouse Trap... 5c | Package brass Shoe Nails, 5c |
| Rat Trap..... 10c | Package Kid Hair Curlers 5c |
| Gilt head Tacks, p'k'g... 5c | 2 boxes Mourning Pins... 5c |
| Bone Collar Buttons, doz. 5c | Finishing Braid, 5 yards.. 5c |
| Shaving Brushes... 5 and 10c | Coat and Hat Hooks, doz 10c |
| Bone Hair Pins, doz..... 10c | Rubbers for fruit cans, doz 5c |
| 60-inch Tape Measure.... 5c | Coat Hangers..... 5c |
| All sizes Safety Pins, doz. 5c | Good Nail Hammer..... 10c |
| Edgar Nutmeg Grater..... 10c | Glass Sherbet Cups..... 5c |
| Wire Vegetable Boilers... 10c | White metal Table |
| Christy Paring Knife..... 10c | Spoons..... 3 for 5c |
| Jelly Tumblers, each..... 2c | White metal Tea Spoons, |
| Crumb Brush and Tray... 25c | 6 for 10c |
| Large bot. Shoe Dressing 10c | 7 1/2-in. metal back Comb. 10c |
| Large bottle best Sewing | Dress Shields, per pair... 10c |
| Machine Oil..... 5c | LePage's Glue..... 10c |
| Basting Spoons, each..... 5c | Bottle best Tooth Wash.. 10c |
| 60-foot Clothes Line..... 10c | Good Base Ball..... 10c |
| 2-foot Rules, each..... 10c | Good Clothes Brush..... 10c |
| Playing Cards, package.. 10c | Good Hair Brush..... 10c |
| Sleeve Holders, per pair . 5c | Nail Brushes..... 10c |
| Good Tooth Brushes, 5c, 10c | Best Hose Supporters.... 10c |

The above items are culled at random from our stock and are but a few of the many useful articles to be found on our notion counters. You will be sure to see something you need

THE WIDE AWAKE.
53 West Milwaukee Street. W. W. EMMONS, Prop.

TRAPPED!

John Bull is trapped in Africa and can not get to help along matters in China. You'll never be trapped at our store—no, never, for if you've the slightest suspicion that we've not given you your money's worth, your money is waiting for you to take it back.

CANNED SALMON

The most popular Fish of the season. The demand is enormous. Our stock is in proportion and comprises the following well known brands, the prices on which are less than the market warrants:

Richelieu 1-lb. flat cans, 20c
Richelieu 1-2-lb. flat cans, 12c
Monarch 1-lb. flat cans, 20c
I. X. L. 1-lb. flat cans, 18c
Fancy Red, 1-lb. tall cans, 15c
Royal Chinock, 1-lb. tall cans, 15c
Orange Blossom, 1-lb. tall cans, 12c
Atkins' Best, 1-lb. flat cans, 10c
7-11, 1-lb. tall cans, 12c

DEDRICK BROS.
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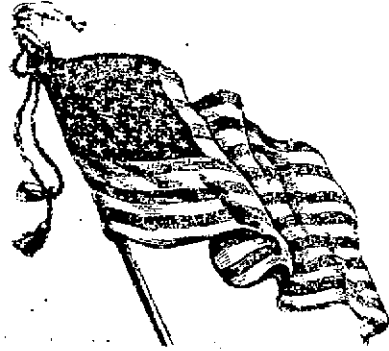
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THE REPUBLICAN TICKET

For President:
WILLIAM MCKINLEY, of Ohio.
For Vice President:
THEODORE ROOSEVELT, of New York.
For Member of Congress, 1st District:
HENRY A. COOPER, of Racine.
Wisconsin Weather Forecast
Fair and warmer tonight and Friday

THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1703 B. C.—Julius Caesar born.
1536—Erasmus, the reformer, died in Basel; born 1466.
1597—Erasmus was considered the greatest writer and scholar of his age. Kings were honored by an audience with him. He differed with Luther.
1690—Battle of the Boyne. By old style the date was July 1. Boyne river is a classic stream in Ireland and has been called "Boyne of Science." On its banks was fought the decisive battle between William III, prince of Orange, and King James II, deposed king of England.
1808—Joseph Bonaparte entered Madrid as King of Spain.
1840—Dolly Madison (born Dorothy Payne), widow of President Madison, died in Washington; born 1772.
1870—Rear Admiral John A. Dahlgren, U. S. N., died at Washington; born 1819.
1897—Nicholas C. Creedon, noted mine owner, died at Los Angeles; born 1848. General M. F. Wentworth, noted political leader and war veteran, died at Kittery, Me.; born 1820.

Although Admiral Dewey, General Otis, and every other army and navy officer who served in the Philippines denies that there was ever an understanding between the United States officials and Aguinaldo, a plank in the democratic platform refers to the Philippines as our "former allies." Either this plank misrepresents things, or Admiral Dewey and all the others have told untruths. Which view of the matter will the people take? The question answers itself.

The horse business is good all the world over. One hundred and fifty thousand horses and mules have been landed in South Africa since the beginning of the war. Rock county farmers can sell all the good horses they can raise, at good prices, but poor ones, as is always the case, are a drug on the market.

The ingenious American is equal to any emergency. A packing house employee in Kansas City has invented a device for plucking fowls from chickens. It is so arranged that cross currents of air, set in motion by revolving electrical fans, completely strip a bird of every feather and every particle of down.

The duly authorized committee today officially notified Governor Roosevelt of his nomination for vice president on the republican ticket. The news will doubtless surprise Mr. Roosevelt greatly.

Ex-Governor Hoadley of Ohio, democrat, announces that he will vote for McKinley and Roosevelt, as he is "agin" Bryan, and doesn't propose to waste his ballot.

Of course Mr. Stevenson is heart and soul in sympathy with the Chicago platform, which caustically condemned the administration of Cleveland and Stevenson.

The voters will stick to the ratio of 1896, too. Mr. Bryan, and the popular majority against him will be as many millions as it was before.

Mr. Towne, in the language of the tie tourist, has "vacated the plat."

SOME PRESS COMMENTS

Spencer For Governor

Racine Journal.—In view of the reasons assigned by Senator Spooner in his declining to again be a candidate for the United States senate, it might be in order to invite the distinguished senator to accept a nomination for governor at the hands of the republicans of the state whom he has so long and faithfully represented.

Such a nomination would heal every suspicion of a sore spot, and that he would receive an enormous majority goes without saying.

Senator Spooner in his announced retirement gave purely personal reasons for his course, not one of which would interfere with his becoming governor of the great state of Wisconsin. This would enable him to live at Madison and be with his family; and in his old home he could find that measure of rest for himself and wife, denied him at Washington.

With Senator Spooner as governor, Wisconsin would have a ripest statesman, full of the years of knowledge and

training, a career as a United States senator has given him. That our great state would receive the benefit of his national influence, of his profound acquaintance with all those affairs that enter into our modern politics, of his depth of reasoning and well balanced mind, must be patent to all. It would be a nomination worthy of the state and a tribute to one whom the party delights to honor.

This would open the way to the ambitions of Mr. LaFollette without having to wait four years.

One of the Drawbacks

Milwaukee Sentinel.—This, by the Kenosha News, is the sort of business which makes the harmony hard to bear: "Stebbins is practically the only man now in the field against La Follette and his chances seem to be on De Wayne."

A Matter of Sound

Menasha News.—The difference between imperialism and expansion lies in the sound. When the democratic leaders use it as a club against the republicans it is called imperialism, but when they use it to pat themselves on the back and bait the voter they call it expansion. But it means the same thing.

About Mr. Whitehead.

Clinton Herald.—His many friends here were surprised to learn that Senator Whitehead had decided to pull out of the race for governor, believing he would have made a good one, but it is not as though there was no other good timber in sight, and then he is all right as a senator, anyway.

VANDERBILT'S NEW AUTO.

William K. Junior, with his new machine, appeared on the streets of Newport the other day for the first time with his new French automobile, and the speed at which the machine was driven was marvelous. Mr. Vanderbilt was accompanied by his French motorman, whom he brought with him from France to operate the machine. A trial run was made from the automobile station to the second beach, and at points along the route a speed at the rate of 55 miles an hour was made, says the New York World. The Frenchman said that this was not the limit of the speed of the machine and that it could be driven under favorable conditions at a rate of 65 miles an hour, equal to the speed of the fastest railroad trains.

The automobile is a cream white affair, driven by a gasoline engine, and is much larger than any that has been seen in Newport. The occupants of the vehicle wear large dust glasses when riding, and the whole outfit is very French. The only drawback the machine appears to have is the noise it makes. Mr. Vanderbilt has undoubtedly accomplished his purpose of having the fastest machine in the United States. As there are no automobiles in his class in Newport at the present time with which Mr. Vanderbilt can race, he has expressed his intention of trying conclusions with express trains between given points. The automobile has seats for six persons and is steered with a wheel.

A Pious Student to His Hazards.

Henry Miller, an unpretentious and pious Butler student, was carried from his room the other night by fellow students, who thought they would make him one of the boys, and taken to the banks of Pleasant run, near the college, says an Indianapolis dispatch to the Chicago Inter-Ocean. There he was placed, half clad, on top of a stump and ordered to make a speech. Drawing a long stiletto which he had concealed for the purpose, he said, "Now, gentlemen, I am going back to my room, and the first fellow that comes near me will get this knife up to the hilt." Miller went home and now has the laugh on the hazards.

Electricity to Kill Bacteria.

The "Journal" of the Vienna correspondent attributes to Dr. Ziemer, while experimenting at the Hygienic Institute at Wurzburg, which was the cradle of the X ray, the discovery of a successful application of electricity for the destruction of bacteria. It is declared that the treatment is most simple, the currents employed being only a thousandth of an ampere.

Japanese Love of Nature.

The Japanese is a born lover of nature. Whatever he produces, from the most painstaking work of art to the simplest household utensil, is after natural models. In the representation of figures and scenes the Japanese display a perception which is astonishing. With a couple of strokes of the brush they reproduce what they see with a truth to life which is almost incredible.

MENU FOR FRIDAY.

To the capable man this world is not dumb.—Goethe.

BREAKFAST.

Roast Tomatoes on Lettuce Leaves.
Cream Torte, Boiled Eggs.
Southern Rice Bread, Biscuits.
Celery Tea.

LUNCHEON.

Lubster a la Newburg, Macaroni Salad.
Swiss Cheese Sandwiches.
Strawberry Meringue.
Russian Tea.

DINNER.

Green Turtle Soup.
Filet of Sole, Sauce Tomato.
Macaroni au Gratin.
Boiled New Potatoes.
Onion, Cucumber and Lettuce Salad.
Tutti Frutti.
Cafe Noir.

SOUTHERN RICE BREAD.—Beat three eggs without separating until very light. Add three cups of milk, two cups of white rice, and one teaspoonful of salt. One cup of cold boiled rice and one tablespoonful of melted butter. Mix thoroughly and add two teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Bake in a quick oven 30 minutes. Serve hot.

RAILROADS HAD A

VERY GOOD YEAR

EARNINGS ON 187,534.68 MILES WERE \$1,313,610.118.

Total Net Income Was \$605,355,102.—Number Killed Was 7,123 and Number Injured 44,620.—Number of Persons Employed by All the Railways in the U. S. is 928,824.

Washington, July 12.—The twelfth statistical report of the interstate commerce commission shows that the railroads of the United States did a more satisfactory business during the fiscal year just closed than in the previous fiscal year.

For the year ending June 30, 1899, the gross earnings from the operation of the railways in the United States, covering an operated mileage of 187,534.68 were \$1,313,610,118, being \$66,284,497 more than for the preceding year. The operating expenses were \$856,968,999, the increase in this item being \$39,995,723.

The operating expenses for the year in question were \$4,570 per mile of line, or \$140 more than for the previous year. The Total Net Income.

The total net income of the railways, \$605,355,102—that is, the income from operation increased by the income from other sources—is the items from which fixed charges and analogous items are deducted in order to reach the amount available for dividends. Total deductions from income amounted to \$441,200,289, leaving \$164,154,813 as the net increase for the year available for dividends or surplus.

The amount of dividends declared during the year, including \$80,114 other payments from net income, was \$11,089,936, leaving as the surplus from the operations of the year \$53,064,877, the corresponding surplus for the year ending June 30, 1898, being \$44,078,557.

Figures on Casualties.

The total number of casualties to persons on account of railway accidents during the year was 51,743. The aggregate number of persons killed as a result of railway accidents during the year was 7,123, and the number injured was 44,620. Of railway employees, 2,210 were killed and 34,913 were injured during the year covered by this report.

The number of passengers killed during the year was 239, and the number injured was 3,442. Corresponding figures for the previous year were 221 killed and 2,945 injured.

Number of Persons Employed.

The summaries containing the ratio of casualties show that one out of every 420 employees was killed and one out of every twenty-seven employees was injured. With reference to trainmen it is shown that one was killed for every 155 employed and one was injured for every eleven employed. One passenger was killed for every 2,189,023 carried and one injured for every 151,998 carried. Ratios based upon the number of miles traveled, however, show that 61,051,580 passenger miles were accomplished for each passenger killed, and 4,239,200 passenger miles accomplished for each passenger injured.

Ratio of Casualties.

The number of persons employed by the railways of the United States, as reported on June 30, 1899, was 928,824, or an average of 495 employees per 1000 miles of line. As compared with the number employed on June 30, 1898, there was an increase of 54,868, or twenty-one per hundred miles of line.

Sexes Reverse Occupations.

In Chicago where men are largely finding employment as chamber maids and cooks an employment agency has just furnished a woman to do plowing and other field work for a farmer living not far from the city.

A Discouraging Entry.

The performance of the Shakespearean drama of "Hamlet" was dragging itself slowly along.

The time had come for the appearance of the ghost.

There was a slight delay owing to the tardiness of the ghost in responding to its cue.

The profound stillness that followed was broken by a loud voice in the front row of the main balcony:

"Mamma, there are 27 men down there with round white spots on top of their heads."

And no stage ghost ever made its appearance under more discouraging auspices than the armor clad phantom that came stalking upon the stage at this moment.—Chicago Tribune.

Parrots Natural Gymnasts.

The curious gymnastic feats which parrots sometimes perform in their cages have been ascribed to the desire of the birds to vary the monotony of their life in captivity. That was the opinion of Mrs. Mandley, the wife of the Central American explorer, until she lived in the forest region near Copan, where she saw the parrots in a state of perfect freedom indulging in all the feats practiced by their caged cousins.

How They Lost Her.

"Why did your cook leave so suddenly?"
"She baked two cakes last Saturday, one for us and one to take to her married sister. When she wasn't looking, I exchanged them and took for our own use the one she had intended to give away."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Law is like a sieve. A man may see through it, but if he gets through it he will find himself much reduced.—Chicago News.

A girl can't speak of any one being in love without using the word "deeperately."—Athenian Globe.

OUR MID-SUMMER SALE

in July is already being taken advantage of. When we say that our summer stock must be reduced, people know that we mean just as we say. Our summer stock must be reduced.

READ THESE OFFERS!

LOT 1—Ladies' Tan Shoes, in beautiful silk vesting top, sold all season at \$1.98. We close them out at our July Closing Sale at, per pair, \$1.39
LOT 2—Splendid values were those Tan Shoes which we were selling at \$3.00 and \$2.50 a pair, including Hand Turned Flexible in plain or vesting tops, at \$2.17
LOT 3—Julia Marlowe Oxfords, regular \$2.50 shoes, Hand Turned, a pair, \$1.89 and Fancy Patent Leather Strap Sandals, with fancy bows vici clean Slippers, of newest pattern, a pair, \$1.50

OXFORDS.

Every pair is being reduced so as not to carry over any for the coming fall. You can't afford to miss the bargains.

\$1.75 Oxfords, in Lace and Front Gore, just the thing for warm weather comfort, at \$1.48

\$1.25 Oxford, in black or brown, nearly all sizes, at 98c

DON'T OVER-LOOK OUR FIRST-CLASS REPAIR SHOP—At lowest prices.

"It Pays to Trade With Us."

AMOS REHBERG & CO.

Hot Weather

Underwear.

One could not ask for a more complete line than we carry. All sizes, all colors and all prices. It will pay you to call this evening and investigate.

Our line of Summer . .

Hosiery and Neckwear

WAS NEVER MORE INVITING.

M'DANIELS & ACHTERBERG

Durable, Stylish

BUGGIES!

The kind the business man of today delights in owning. We can provide you with a stylish vehicle that is durable and most moderate in cost. We are anxious to secure your trade—so anxious that we will use you right.

LAMB & BARLASS

Court Street Bridge

WANT COLUMN



SPEAKING OF QUICKNESS in results—a man advertised a bicycle for sale in The Gazette Want Column a few days ago and sold it after the first insertion.

Three Lines, Three Times for 25 cents.

MEN—Our catalogue explaining how we teach the barber trade in 8 weeks, mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—Girls to operate knitting machine. Call at Lewis Knitting Works, South Main St.

WANTED—Good competent girl for general housework. Inquire at 153 Washington street.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—House in Forest Park. Inquire of W. J. McIntyre.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LOST—Near Baptist church, rubber tire from buggy wheel. Finder leave at McCue's livery, and receive reward.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Cut flowers. A nice bouquet of choice flowers can be had for five cents, at 103 Cornelia street.

FOR SALE—My residence property corner of Locust and Center streets. Property is a bargain as I desire to sell quickly. Frank Gray.

FOR SALE—Ladies' bicycle, good as new. Cost \$50; price \$15. Address D. F. Farnsworth.

FOR SALE—Baby buggy. Address E. G. Zette.

FOR SALE—Phonograph in good condition cheap. Frank Gray, 8 Locust St.

FOR SALE—Splendid retail business and brick business block. Owner must sell on account of ill health. Address K. W. Gatzke.

FOR SALE—A 3 piece bedroom set with mattress and mattress at a bargain. Address C. J. Gatzke.

FOR SALE—Lady's high grade bicycle at a bargain. Inquire 99 Locust St.

CUT PRICES FOR MILLINERY!

A Mid-Summer Sale.

The close of a most successful season finds the millinery department with a liberal stock still on the counters, and to effect a clearance we announce a special cut price sale on all lines.

Children's Hats.

Sun hats of Milan braid trimmed with ribbon; colors, brown, blue, red, white, 19c.

Girls' "Volunteer" Sailors, colors: brown and navy, 35c.

The Atlanta two toned fancy straw; colors: brown and navy with satin ribbons, 50c.

Ladies' Sailors.

The "Defender" rough and ready braid reduced to 50c. The "Baltic," a regular dollar style, reduced to 69c. The "Columbia," a high grade Sailor, reduced to \$1.19. The "Gage and Knox" shape, a standard you all know, reduced to \$1.39. The "Ladysmith," of rough and ready straw, reduced to 69c.

Golf Bonnets.....

for Ladies' and Misses, all at reduced prices.

Children's Muslin Bonnets..

This sale offers a chance to secure headwear for the little ones at little prices.

Trimmed Hats at Half....

Select any trimmed hat in the millinery room and it's yours for one-half the marked price, and when you consider the high character of our hats you will appreciate the offer.

Extra Special.....

We have secured twenty-five dozen children's Gingham Sun Bonnets made of best quality Amoskeag gingham, strings front and back, ruffle, all around finished with three rows of stitching; colors: blue, brown, green; while they last 10c

If you need anything in Millinery, don't miss this sale.

After Season Special....

In Shirt Waists at 49c and \$1.00. In Wash Dress Skirts. In Summer Underwear. In Wrappers and Petticoats. In Parasols and Umbrellas. In Tailor-made Suits. In Laces and Embroideries. In White Goods and Wash Goods. Why trade elsewhere when you can do best here.

ARCHIE REID & CO

DRY GOODS CLOAKS MILLINERY

Testimonials

We have plenty of them from people who reside in Jamesville—people who have been benefitted by the use of

OXYDONOR?

Very simple to operate. We are anxious to hear from people suffering with rheumatism. Write me. I will call and explain.

BEAUMONT DEFOREST.

No. 8 Oakland Ave. Dealer for Rock County.

HANDSOME . . .

Lamps Free to All.

Two dozen costly decorated crockery Lamps just received. Given away free with 100 tickets. These tickets you get with every purchase of Tea or Coffee. It will pay you to call and investigate this offer. New crockery in handsome designs. We have a most complete assortment. All free.

Only exclusive Tea and Coffee store in the city.

BATES CASH TEA COMPANY.

C. W. BROOKS, Prop
On the Bridge. New Phone, No. 32

SOME DECORATION DAY

ROAD RACE WINNINGS.

OF THE NATIONAL.

The old National rider buys a new National Bicycle. Not because he wants a new bicycle, but because he wants a new National Bicycle. Cincinnati, O., 1st Time, 2d Place. Cleveland, O., 1st Time, 6th Place. Detroit, Mich., 2d Place, 8 other Places. The winner of this race chose his prize a National from eight bicycles offered. Forasmuch as the 1st Time, 6th Place, the winner "started on a", but found that it pulled too heavy, and changed to a National. Indianapolis, Ind., 2d Time, 8 Places. Of 15 Nationals entered in a field of 67, 8 of them won prizes.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 12, 2d, 5th, 6th and 7th time. Cleveland, O., High School Field Day, 1st in Mile Championship, 1st in quarter mile. Cincinnati, O., Chester Park Track, 5-1st, 1-2d, 3-3ds.

Nationals are a class by themselves alone and of their own kind, not like other bicycles. National bicycles are not made by a trust.

BOWER CITY REALTY IS A GOLD MINE

HANDSOME PROFIT MADE BY
THE FOREST PARK CO.

Lands That Were Thought Undesirable
Made the Finest Residence District
in the City, and the Return on the
Investment Was More Than 500
Per Cent.

Does it pay to invest in Janesville
real estate?

Ask the stockholders in the Forest
Park Improvement company.
They think a profit of over five hun-
dred per cent on their investment is a
pretty good return.

On March 4, 1897, thirteen years ago,
the Forest Park Improvement company
was organized. The plan of the com-
pany was to buy the "Bennett farm" in
the Third ward, divide it into lots and
sell it to home seekers. This idea was
carried out, and an adjoining tract
known as "the Patten pasture" was also
bought. At that time this property
was not considered desirable for resi-
dence lots, and many people predicted
that the company would find the venture
a losing deal. The organizers of the
company, however, had faith in
Janesville.

He platted the land, laid out streets,
graded, cut and filled, put in water and
gas mains, secured electric lights and
also subscribed a very liberal amount
toward building the Forest Park line of
the street railway. Attention was at
once centered on the new addition, and
as the days passed the demands for lots
increased. House after house was built,
and today no other section in the city
can boast of as many fine residences.
The "Bennett farm" and "the Patten
pasture" have developed into about the
most valuable and beautiful residence
district, comparatively speaking, in the
city. So much for the accomplishment;
what was the financial return?

The affairs of the company have been
closed up, and the final dividend made.
Although at the auction sales, property
worth \$20,000 was sold for half of that
sum, the total profit realized by the
company was just \$16 per cent.

The company is to be congratulated
on this splendid showing, and the citizens
of Janesville should take pride in the
fact that Janesville, property is
worth so much money. The work done
by the Forest Park company has all
been in the interest of the city as well
as in the interest of the company, and
everyone will be glad to know that the
venture netted a handsome profit.

CAUCUSES HELD LAST NIGHT

Republican Delegates to First Assembly
District Convention

The republican caucuses were held in
this city last evening for the purpose of
electing delegates to the first assembly
district convention to be held in this
city, Wednesday, July 18. The follow-
ing delegates were elected:

First Ward.

The first ward republicans met at the west
side engine house and organized with S. E.
Heddes as chairman and I. A. Whitton, secre-
tary.

Delegates elected: H. L. McNamara, S. B.
Heddes, George Woodruff, David Conger, I. A.
Whitton, E. M. Calkins, W. F. Carle, E. Fish,
W. S. Rios and J. H. Watson.

Second Ward.

The second ward caucuses were held at the east
side fire station. F. L. Kuehlin, chairman, and
F. L. Clemens, secretary.

Delegates elected: F. L. Kuehlin, S. C.
Burham, O. E. Nowlan, C. J. Schott, F. L.
Clemens and O. Sutherland.

F. L. Clemens was elected a member of the
county committee.

Third Ward.

The republicans of the third ward met at the
polling booth on Court street bridge. Chairman
J. L. Bear and secretary, C. B. Conrad.

Delegates elected: E. D. Roberts, H. J. Cun-
ningham, N. L. Carle, E. O. Kimberley, C. B.
Conrad, W. H. Appleby, Dr. W. H. Judd, F. S.
Winslow, A. E. Matheson and M. G. Jeffers.

Fourth Ward.

W. H. Maclean was chairman of the fourth
ward caucuses, which met in the common
common room. George Scirelli was secretary.

Delegates elected: M. F. Curtis, H. G. Carter,
George Scirelli, E. E. Ranous, Charles Riker,
Charles Atwood, Herman Lemke and C. W.
Schwarz.

Fifth Ward.

The fifth ward caucuses were held in the polling
booth on Holmes street. The delegates elected
were J. A. Sutherland, N. Fredricks, E. W.
Childs and G. H. Merrill.

Delegates in the Towns.

Returns from the caucuses in the
townships are not complete, but so far
as could be learned, the results are as
follows:

Avon.

County Convention—Albe J. Swenson, Wil-
Garde, Joseph Russ.

Newark.

County Convention—George Merlette, Jolles
Cousins, Halvor Claahns, Albert Perkins.

Beloit, Town.

County Convention—A. C. Powers, John A.
Yost.

Assembly District, State—W. M. Nye, A. C.
Powers.

Assembly—A. C. Powers, W. M. Nye.

Superintendent District—John A. Yost, A. C.
Powers.

County Committee—John A. Yost.

Turtle.

County Convention—B. F. Hannab, H. E.
Gates, J. Shimoli, George Zickler.

Assembly District, State—W. E. Beach, C. J.
Rice, J. F. Murray and A. B. Manley.

County Superintendent—Martin Riemer, W.
Swingle, Charles Van Gieson, Thomas Cox.

Assembly—A. D. Parker, A. W. Rohlfing, F.
A. Humphrey, F. D. Essig.

La Prairie.

County Convention—B. H. Smith, J. P.
Thomas, C. W. Kummer.

Assembly District, State—J. E. Gleason, H.
Tarrant, D. Q. Stark.

Senatorial—Scott Smith, W. H. Howard, N.
Schueck.

Superintendent District—C. R. Van Gilder,
R. H. Howard, W. E. Gleason.

Assembly—Guy Wheeler, D. Q. Stark, H.
Proctor.

K. O. T. M.

All Sir Knights of the Maccabees are
asked to meet at West Side I. O.
O. F. Hall, Friday, July 13, 1900 at 1 p.
m., to attend the funeral of our esteem-
ed brother, C. H. Belding. By order,
E. C. CANNON, Comd.,
A. T. WILKINS, R. K.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

SEE Dedrick Bros ad.

McNAMARA sells hardware

SEE ad. Bort, Bailey & Co.

SUMMER school at Central school.

SCREEN doors and windows, McNAMARA.

WANTED—Kitchen girl. Myers hos-
tel.

Get your fish order in early. W. W.
Nash.

PHONE us for canned salmon. Ded-
rick Bros.

HOME made bread and fried cakes at
C. N. Vankirks.

LADIES' ribbed vests in all prices.
Bort, Bailey & Co.

MEY'S ballgown shirts and drawers
at 47 cents. Bort, Bailey & Co.

HOME grown corn 15c doz. Large
late Marrowfat peas 30c peck. Grubb.

Those little Gazette want ads are
working wonders. Three lines three
days 25c.

Ice cream freezers. We have five
different makes. Can suit you. Mc-
Namara.

The Y. M. C. A. is now in no way con-
nected with the games of ball that will
be given.

A new lot of fancy mild New York full
cream cheese 14 cents a pound. Ded-
rick Bros.

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cream cheese 14 cents a pound. Ded-
rick Bros.

The Imperial band concert in the
Court House park last evening was
largely attended.

On summer underwear, we are pre-
pared to show you a most complete
stock. Bort, Bailey & Co.

FRESH lake Superior trout and white
fish, lake Koshkonong black bass and
blue gills. Skelly and Wilbur.

FRESH now sweet corn 18 cents dozen;
fancy large ripe tomatoes 5 cents pound,
20 cents basket. Dedrick Bros.

THE annual picnic of the local grocery-
men will be held next week, July 19, and
this week as stated in last night's
Gazette.

THE values that we give in ladies'
black hosiery at 10, 12, 15 and 25
cents are great trade winners for us. T.
P. Burns.

FRANK GRAY contemplates making his
home in California and advertises
his property for sale in the want
column, page 4.

WE are offering excellent values in
our underwear department; values that
will interest the most careful buyer.
Bort, Bailey & Co.

ORION SUTHERLAND had the misfor-
tune to lose a pocket book containing a
sum of money while walking around
town this morning.

THE excursion to Geneva Lake over
the Chicago & Northwestern was patron-
ized by about seventy five couples. They
report an enjoyable time.

ONE bicycle was stolen in the Gazette
brought a Third ward lady 5 buyers.
Try one if you have anything to sell.
Three lines three days 25c.

MOONLIGHT excursion given by Y. P. S.
of Trinity church Monday, July 18.
Columbia leaves at 7:45 p. m. Tickets,
including dancing, 25 cents.

EXTRA values for the prices are our
ladies' union suits in white and cream,
with long sleeves, short sleeves, and
sleeveless. Bort, Bailey & Co.

A FLAG social will be given at the
home of Mrs. S. L. James, 201 South
Jackson street, Friday evening, July 13,
by the W. R. C. ladies. Everyone is
cordially invited.

A MEETING of the Knights of the Mac-
cabees was held last evening to make
arrangements for attending the funeral
of the late C. H. Belding, who was a
member of the order.

SECRETARY Kline says that he has had
nothing to do with the ball games at
Athletic park this year and that the Y.
M. C. A. never had anything to do with
the park as an organization.

THE Woman's Missionary societies of
the First Congregational church will
hold their monthly meeting in the
church parlors Thursday, July 12, at
three o'clock p. m. Supper will be
served.

COMMISSIONERS O. D. Rowe, H. M.
Paul and W. H. Merritt, appointed to
appraise the value of lands on the right
of way of the Janesville & Southeastern
railroad, have adjourned the hearing of
testimony until Monday morning at 10
o'clock.

THERE will be a Sunday school rally
at Pomona hall in the town of Janes-
ville on Sunday next at 10 o'clock. A
number of Sunday schools of the county
will be represented, and a large at-
tendance is expected. J. T. Wright of
this city, will have charge of the meet-
ing.

For a long time I was in a very se-
rious condition from chronic rheumatism
and catarrh. I consulted many doctors
and there was seemingly no help for me.
Three months ago I consulted Dr. Se-
orist and am happy to testify that he has
restored me to perfect health. Fritz
Kemp. If you suffer from any chronic
disease and want honorable and success-
ful treatment consult Dr. Seorist at the
Park Hotel, Janesville, Friday, July 13.
Thorough medical examination and an
honest opinion on your case free.

ONE of the best and biggest picnics
of the season will be given at Crystal
Springs park, Thursday, July 26. It
will be the annual joint picnic of Olive
Branch Lodge No. 36, A. O. U. W., and
Laurel Lodge No. 2, Degree of Honor,
and it will eclipse even the unprece-
dented success of last year. An attempt
is being made to secure R. M. La Fol-
lette of Madison, for an address. There
will be a program of athletic games and
contests with handsome prizes for each.
The Imperial band will furnish an excel-
lent program in the afternoon and
Smith's orchestra will play for the
dance.

ONE SIDED BALL AT ATHLETIC PARK

Janesville All Professionals Defeated by
the Colored Aggregation from
Windy City Yesterday.

The Janesville All Professionals are not
in it when it comes to playing ball with
the colored aggregation from the Windy
City. The Chicago Unions defeated
them yesterday afternoon in a one sided
contest at Athletic Park by a score of
18 to 7.

At no time during the game were the
Janesvillers in it, and the colored boys
had everything their own way. It was
thought before the game was played
that the Unions would win, but it was
hoped that the home club would hold
them down to a reasonable limit. Those
who did were sadly disappointed as the
Janesville club is not in the same class
with the Unions but in a class of their
own.

The Janesville boys will have to prac-
tice up and learn to play ball before they
can expect to successfully compete with
good clubs and draw good crowds to see
the game.

JOHN DELANEY HURT FRACTURED HIS LEG

Contest Between James Moore and the
Town Board—News Notes
from Richmond.

Richmond, July 12.—A sad misfortune
occurred to John Delaney, our town
chairman, during the severe wind storm
which occurred last Thursday, while
drawing some hay. John was on the
load and the wind tipping it over threw
him with great force to the ground
fracturing his leg. One of his sons was
immediately sent to the Richmond post
office to telephone for Dr. Miller of
Whitewater, but the electrical storm
being so bad it was for a long time im-
possible to get the telephone to work.

As the storm subdued Dr. Miller, Jr., of
Whitewater came out as soon as possible
and reduced the fracture. Mr. Delaney
is resting, as well as can be expected.
He being advanced in years, it will be
some time before he will be able to su-
perintend the farm work.

The dance held in Mr. Kling's new
barn Fourth of July night was largely
attended and everybody had a fine time.
Quite a number from here attended
the celebration at Whitewater lake the
Fourth.

A controversy which promises to be
interesting and to the point, has arisen
between the town board of this place
and the James Moore estate. A confer-
ence was held at the town hall last week.
Mr. Moore has engaged attorneys; also,
the board. The trouble, it seems, arose
through Mr. Moore not being satisfied
with the amount of mortgages and
bonds assessed to him. Mr. Sumner of
Delavan will look up the matter as
counsel for the board, and at a meeting
of the interested parties on the 15th
inst. the matter will probably be settled
satisfactorily to all.

Harry Blakeman is entertaining her
sister and her husband from Chicago,
who were married but a short time ago.
H. Calkins sold hogs last week at
Whitewater at \$4.70 per cwt.

After the worst drought for many
years we find that the corn is not at the
present time any behind last year,
although very uneven.

School meeting was attended by a
very few. Frank Kemmitt was elected
treasurer, and the wood lot to Mr. Calkins
at \$6.00 per cord. Mr. Woodstock
was engaged for the ensuing year.

Squire Claxton, who is 88 years of
age, says he never had a severe pain
until now, a sharp pain attacks him in
the chest at times, which causes his rela-
tives and friends some anxiety.

Considering the dry season the wild
berry crop is very good, taking women's
word for it.

The Richmond baseball club are a
good man, short and best player, Will
Ryan has a fellow named of his thumbs.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKETS.

Reported by W. T. Carpenter, Commission
Merchant and Broker, 214-216, Hayes Block,
Chicago, July 12, 1900.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Aug.....	80 1/4-84	81	78 3/4	79 1/2
Sept.....	81 1/2-85 1/2	81 1/2	80 1/4	80 3/4
Oct.....	84 1/2-88 1/2	85 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2
Nov.....	84 1/2-88 1/2	85 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2
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LATE TELEGRAPHIC NEWS..

TRAIN WRECKERS AT WORK

In Four Different Places in North America.

AN ILLINOIS CENTRAL HOLDUP.

Chicago Express Barely Escapes Near Owego, N. Y.—First Train Hold-Up in Mexico—Attempt to Wreck the B. & O. Express.

Paducah, Ky., July 11.—Train No. 4 on the Illinois Central was held up and the express car robbed last night at Mayfield Creek.

There were five men in the gang and as the train pulled around a curve they swung a lantern, which the engineer took for a warning of danger. He stopped the train and a man jumped into the cab and shoved a six-shooter into his face.

The other men went back to the express car and, after overpowering the messenger, blew open the safe with dynamite. The amount taken by the gang is not known, but as the train is the Illinois Central's limited and carries heavy express it is believed to be several thousand dollars.

After the robbery the men made their escape. Posses have been organized and are now after the gang.

Boys As Train Wreckers.

Binghamton, N. Y., July 12.—Henry Hill, a farmer while walking on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western tracks near the Herrick Seymour farm, between Oswego and Lounsberry, came across a fishplate spiked to the rails in such a manner that it would surely have derailed the next train. It was train time for the Chicago express, which passes the spot at a rate of fifty miles an hour, and Hill set to work to remove the obstruction. He drew out the spikes and removed the fishplate just before the express hove in sight. The station agent at Oswego was notified, and detectives were hurried to the scene. The result was the arrest of two 9-year-old boys, one the son of O. W. Young, and the other Lowell I. Decker, son of a wealthy attorney of New York. Young Decker has been spending the summer at Mr. Young's place. The boys confessed that they placed the obstruction on the track. They were arraigned before Justice Loring and the Young boy was released, in custody of his father. The Decker lad was held in the sum of \$300 to appear before the grand jury, O. W. Young going his security.

Mexico's First Train Hold-Up.

Mexico City, July 12.—A daring train robbery took place at Santa Eulalia station, near Chihuahua, on the Mexican Central. When a freight train side-tracked to let a passenger train pass it was found that the spikes on the siding had been pulled out. The train was derailed and the train crew attacked by a dozen bandits. Many shots were fired. Meanwhile the passenger train arrived and the crew, taking in the situation, pulled back to Chihuahua with the crew of the freight train. With a force of police and rurales the passenger train returned to the scene of the hold-up. The robbers had broken into several freight cars and carried away booty. The police and soldiers started in pursuit, and one robber was captured with some of the booty. Thus far, this is the first train hold-up on record in Mexico.

ATTEMPT TO WRECK A TRAIN.

Washington Express, with \$8,000,000 in Gold on Board, Derailed.

Philadelphia, July 12.—According to officials of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, a deliberate attempt to wreck the Washington express bearing \$8,000,000 in gold to the sub-treasury in New York came near being successful early this morning. The attempt was made at Folsom, a short distance outside of this city. The train consisted of two sleepers, two day coaches, and three baggage cars, and left Washington at 11:30 last night. It was due here at 3:10 this morning. While going at a good rate of speed it ran into an open switch. The engine was overturned and the three baggage cars were derailed, but no one was injured. An examination of the switch by the railroad men disclosed the fact that it had been tampered with, for the apparent purpose of wrecking a train. Whether it was done with the intention of wrecking the express bearing the currency could only be conjectured. It is believed, however, by many in the vicinity that it was the work of small boys.

Daughter Claims Father's Innocence.

Joliet, Ill., July 12.—Frank Schreffler sat for hours in the prisoner's dock before Justice Petty and listened to a mass of damaging testimony, calculated by the accusers to fasten upon the prisoner the crime of wife-murder by cremation. A dramatic scene was presented when the little daughter of the prisoner entered the court room and declared that her father was not guilty of the crime charged against him. The prisoner was in tears, and the spectators were much affected.

F. M. Snively Is Killed.

Peoria, Ill., July 12.—Francis Marion Snively, aged 65 years and a dry goods merchant of Cuba, Ill., was killed while attempting to alight from an

electric street car. His skull was fractured. Mr. Snively is uncle of Clarence Snively of the Canton Register and prominent in state politics. Mr. Snively was here attending the State convention of the Epworth league and was on his way to his son's house when he was killed.

Board Buys Leads to Murder.

New Albany, Ind., July 12.—In a discussion over an alleged board bill here, Archie Dye shot and instantly killed Peter Carnes. Dye claims Carnes was advancing on him with a knife when Dye shot him. Dye is an ironworker and Carnes operated a saloon and boarding house. Both the men are about 50 years old. Carnes leaves a wife and two daughters.

Anti-Imperialists Will Meet.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 12.—The official call for the national convention of the Anti-Imperialist league, which will be held here Aug. 15 and 16, will be issued at once. There will be 1,100 delegates. Bourke Cockran will speak the first night and Carl Schurz on the second.

WEDNESDAY'S BALL SCORES.

American League.

At Buffalo—	Buffalo.....1 0 3 1 3 2 0 0 *	10
Chicago.....1 0 0 0 3 0 0 1 0	5	
Attendance, 6,090.		
At Detroit—	Kansas City.....2 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 0	6
Detroit.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	
Attendance, 1,700.		
At Indianapolis—	First game:	
Indianapolis.....2 1 1 2 1 0 2 1 *	10	
Minneapolis.....1 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 0	3	
Attendance, 8,000.		
Second game:		
Indianapolis.....0 0 4 1 1 3 0 0 *	9	
Minneapolis.....3 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 2	8	
Attendance, 3,000.		

National League.

At Pittsburgh—	Pittsburgh.....1 0 0 0 2 0 0 1 *	4
Brooklyn.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	
Attendance, 3,000.		
At St. Louis—	Boston.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0	2
St. Louis.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	
Attendance, 1,700.		
At Cincinnati—	Cincinnati.....2 1 0 0 0 0 0 4 *	7
Philadelphia.....1 0 2 1 0 1 0 0 2	6	
Attendance, 1,600.		

A most attractive and instructive "page about Orangeine" appears this month in Munsey's and the Cosmopolitan.

Nelson Is Still Leading.

Boston, Mass., July 12.—The hard riding that John Nelson of Chicago has done for two nights did not keep him from leading his opponents again in the six-day wheel race at Charles River park. Burns Pierce seems to be improving in riding form. The riding score so far: Nelson, 64 miles 1,758 yards; Pierce, 64 miles 991 yards; Stinson, 62 miles 1,148 yards; Miller, 57 miles, 511 yards. Total for the three nights: Nelson, 197 miles, 157 yards; Pierce, 192 miles, 1,354 yards; Stinson, 185 miles, 811 yards; Miller, 179 miles, 1,338 yards.

Mr. Bliss Meets Mr. Hanna.

Cleveland, O., July 12.—Cornelius N. Bliss, ex-secretary of the interior, and National Committeeman Payne of Wisconsin arrived here early today. Both were closeted with Senator Hanna for an hour or more. Shortly after noon, Senator Lodge arrived and joined the conference. Mr. Bliss said that he had come to Cleveland to accompany the notification committee to Canton tomorrow as the guest of Senator Hanna. He would not discuss the probability of his serving on the executive committee.

"MY OWN SELF AGAIN."

Mrs. Gates Writes to Mrs. Pinkham, Follows Her Advice and is Made Well.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—For nearly two and one-half years I have been in feeble health. After my little child came it seemed I could not get my strength again. I have chills and the severest pains in my limbs and top of head and am almost insensible at times. I also have a pain just to the right of breast bone. It is so severe at times that I cannot lie on my right side. Please write me what you think of my case."

Mrs. CLARA GATES, Johns P. O., Miss., April 25, 1898.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as advised and now send you a letter for publication. For several years I was in such wretched health that life was almost a burden. I could hardly walk across the floor, was so feeble. Several of our best physicians attended me, but failed to help. I concluded to write to you for advice. In a few days I received such a kind, motherly letter. I followed your instructions and am my 'old self' again. Was greatly benefited before I had used one bottle. May God bless you for what you are doing for suffering women."—Mrs. CLARA GATES, Johns P. O., Miss., Oct. 6, 1899.

Cement Plant Is Destroyed.

Birmingham, Ala., July 12.—The entire plant of the Birmingham Cement company at Ensley, built last winter, was destroyed by fire last night. Nothing is known as to the origin of the fire. The loss will be about \$100,000, with possibly less insurance.

TEACHERS IN CONVENTION.

Charleston a Warm Place for National Meeting.

NEGRO RACE DEVELOPMENT.

The Subject of an Address to the Teachers by Booker T. Washington—He Asks That White People Judge Colored Folks by Best Specimen.

Charleston, S. C., July 12.—Booker T. Washington spoke of his views on race problems in America, his hopes for the uplifting of his race, and his belief in its success, before an audience representative of the schools of the nation. The negro leader made use of his usual logic and directness in his handling of his subject. "The negro can afford to be wronged," he said. "The white man cannot afford to wrong the weakest or meanest member of any race without the proudest and bluest blood in the white man's civilization being degraded." The part of his statement of conditions and facts applied especially to the audience of teachers who heard him was that in which he asked for a logical and common sense principle to be applied to the education of his race. He said the great bulk of his people live directly or indirectly by work in the soil, and in the present conditions it was a grave mistake to take a colored boy from the farm and educate him in about everything which had no bearing upon the life in the community to which he must return. "More and more I hope the white men," he said, "of the country will learn to measure the worth of the negro by the best types of the race and not by the worst. In a larger degree we should judge by those in the schoolrooms, not by those in the penitentiary; by those in the shop and field, not by those in idleness in the streets; by those who have bought homes and are taxpayers, not by those in dens of crime and misery; by those who have learned the laws of health and are living, not by those who have broken health laws and are dying."

Based on Judgment Unfair. "Keep the searchlight constantly focused upon the weaker elements of any race, and who among them will stand the test that indicates success? You judge the white man by those who have succeeded, not by those who have failed and are in the gutter."

"One of the hardest lessons for a race, like an individual, to learn, is that the way to permanent success lies in the mastering of the little everyday, commonplace opportunities, that are right about our door, and the using of these so as to form stepping stones to more important positions. The race, like the individual, that learns this lesson may be retarded, but never defeated. When, in any large measure, a black skin becomes a synonym for the ownership of property, a bank account, thrift, intelligence, and virtue, our problem, in a large degree, will have been solved. While my race is patiently, often in the face of much discouragement, trying to reach this position, we shall need the help, the sympathy, and the forbearance of our white brother."

Many Teachers Play Truant. There are 3,000 teachers in Charleston, according to semi-official reports of attendance. Where 2,700 of these teachers have been during the day will have to be accounted for by the trolley lines and the transportation companies running to the Isle of Palms and Fort Sumter. There were 300 of them at the general session of the convention. The teachers said it was too hot in the convention hall and there was too much to see outside.

Miss Elizabeth Root, president of the Chicago Teachers' club, was dragged out of the surf at the Isle of Palms half drowned. Miss Root had plunged in beyond her companions, had swallowed a quantity of salt water and was helpless and gasping when her companions saw her danger. Others of the 2,700 missing teachers can be accounted for by boats which followed the yacht races which the Carolina Yacht club held for the teachers and by boats running out to Fort Sumter.

Charleston Too Hot in July.

Charleston is disappointed somewhat with the convention and the officers of the association are not enthusiastic. They claim that they have lost \$5,000 by bringing or attempting to bring the teachers south in July. Charleston and the association find cause for their joint regret in the fact that the 7,000 teachers expected did not come. Detroit leads in the race for the next convention. It is probable that the decision upon the next place of meeting will not be reached by the association in convention, but will be left to the executive committee not yet elected.

A delegation of St. Louis teachers has arrived with a demand for the convention in 1903 at the time of the St. Louis exposition. With the exposition as a drawing card it is probable that the request will be granted.

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